

Figure 1: Screening libraries of chimeric promoter

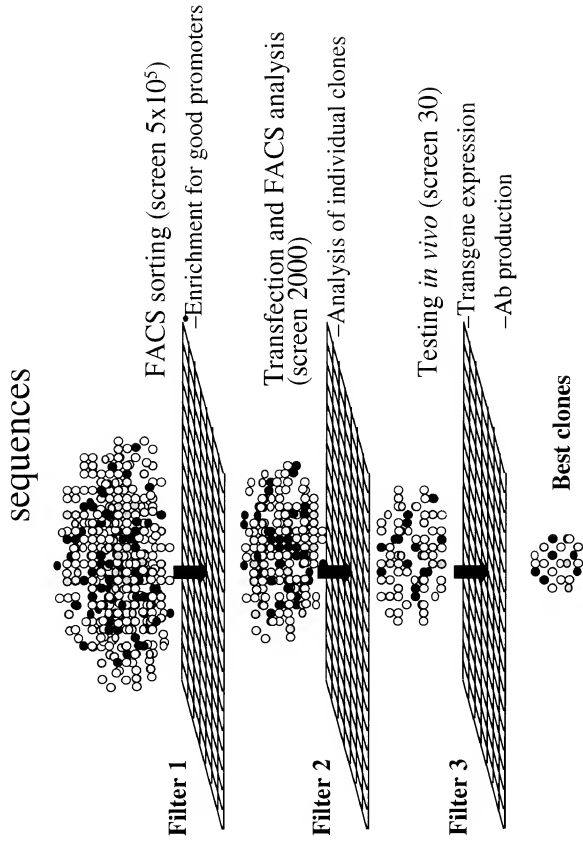


Figure 2: Enrichment of chimeric promoter libraries by FACS sorting

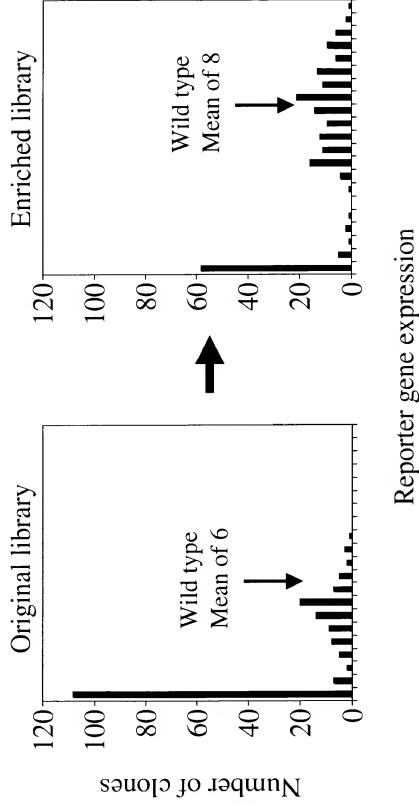


Figure 3: Diverse activities of chimeric promoter sequences in transfected cells

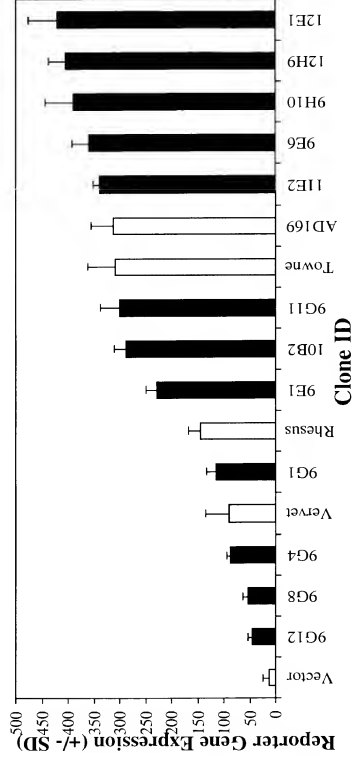


Figure 4: Luciferase expression in muscle 7 days after plasmid injection

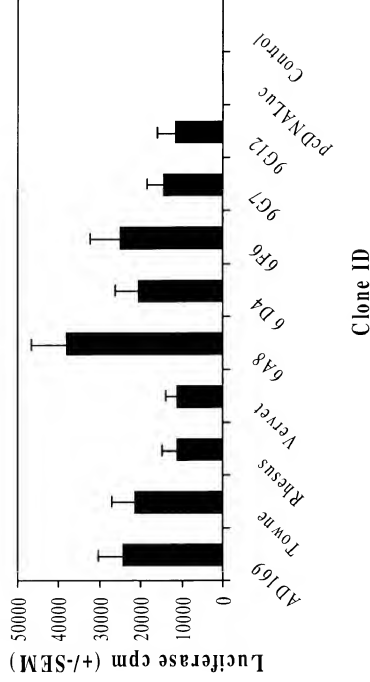


Figure 5: Comparison of Luciferase expression from clone 6A8 and parental clones

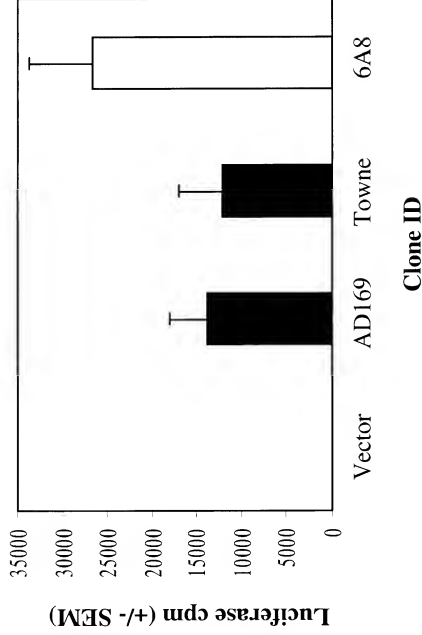


Figure 6A: Antibody responses following injection with β -galactosidase-encoding plasmid

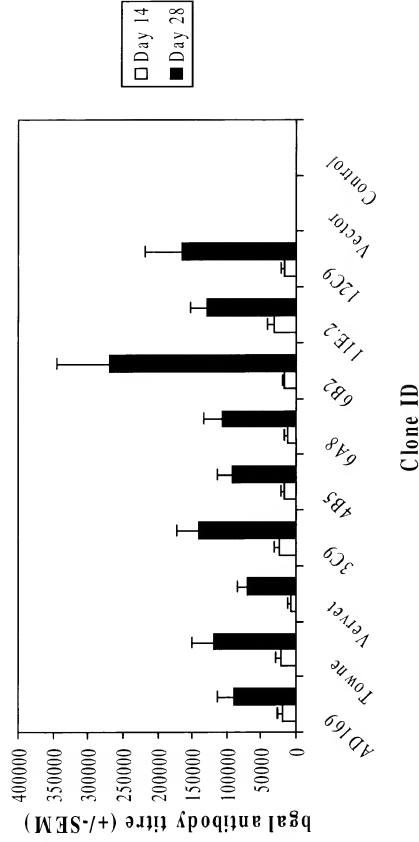


Figure 6B: Improved Ab Response by Shuffled Promoter

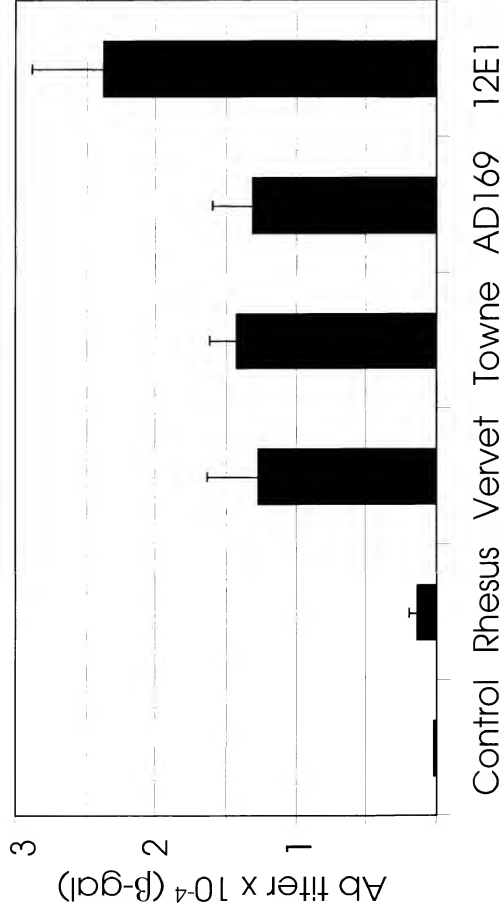


Figure 7: Chimeric promoter 6A8 is functional in human muscle tissue

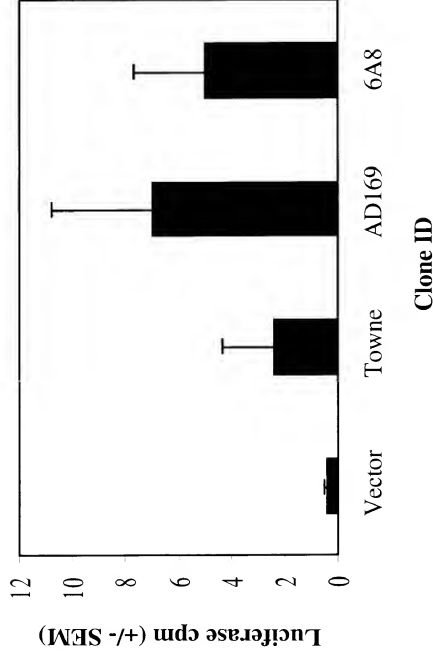


Figure 8A: Comparison of 18 chimeric promoter sequences generated by DNA shuffling using CMV promoter nucleic acid sequences from AD169 and Towne human strains and Rhesus and Vervet monkey strains as parental sequences.

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| 1082 | (1) | ATATGAGGCTATATGCGGATAGAGGGGACATCAAGCTGGSCAGATGCGCAATGGCATATCGCATTAATCAATATTGGCAATTAGCCATATTG | 100 |
| 1182 | (1) | ATATGAGGCTATATGCGGATATAGGCGACATCAAGCTGGSCAGATAGCCATGATGCTATATAGCTTGAATCAATATTGGCAATTAGCCATATTAT | |
| 1269 | (1) | ATATGAGGCTATATGCGGATATAGGCGACATCAAGCTGGSCAGATAGCCATGATGCTATATAGCTTGAATCAATATTGGCAATTAGCCATATTAT | |
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| 696 | (1) | ATATGAGGCTATATGCGGATATAGGCGACATCAAGCTGGSCAGATAGCCATGATGCTATATAGCTTGAATCAATATTGGCAATTAGCCATATTAT | |
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| AD169 | (1) | ATATGAGGCTATATGCGGATATAGGCGACATCAAGCTGGSCAGATAGCCATGATGCTATATAGCTTGAATCAATATTGGCAATTAGCCATATTAT | |
| Towne | (1) | ATATGAGGCTATATGCGGATATAGGCGACATCAAGCTGGSCAGATAGCCATGATGCTATATAGCTTGAATCAATATTGGCAATTAGCCATATTAT | |
| Consensus | (1) | ATATGAGGCTATATGCGGATATAGGCGACATCAAGCTGGSCAGATAGCCATGATGCTATATAGCTTGAATCAATATTGGCAATTAGCCATATTAT | 200 |
| 1082 | (101) | TCATTGGTTTATATAGCAATAAATCATATTGGCTATTGGCCATTGCAATACGTTGTATCTATATCATTAATATGTACATTATTAATTTGGCTCATGTGCCAATAG | |
| 1182 | (101) | TCATTGGTTTATATAGCAATAAATCATATTGGCTATTGGCCATTGCAATACGTTGTATCTATATCATTAATATGTACATTATTAATTTGGCTCATGTGCCAATAG | |
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| Towne | (101) | TCATTGGTTTATATAGCAATAAATCATATTGGCTATTGGCCATTGCAATACGTTGTATCTATATCATTAATATGTACATTATTAATTTGGCTCATGTGCCAATAG | |
| Consensus | (101) | TCATTGGTTTATATAGCAATAAATCATATTGGCTATTGGCCATTGCAATACGTTGTATCTATATCATTAATATGTACATTATTAATTTGGCTCATGTGCCAATAG | |

Figure 8B: Comparison of 18 chimeric promoter sequences generated by DNA shuffling using CMV promoter nucleic acid sequences from AD169 and Towne human strains and Rhesus and Vervet monkey strains as parental sequences.

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| 1182 | (201) | ACGCCCATGTTGACATGATTATTTGACATGATTATTAATAGTAATCAATTTACGGGGTCATTAGTTCATAGCCCATATATGAGTATCCGGCTACATAAATCTT | |
| 1269 | (201) | ACGCCCATGTTGACATGATTATTTGACATGATTATTAATAGTAATCAATTTACGGGGTCATTAGTTCATAGCCCATATATGAGTATCCGGCTACATAAATCTT | |
| 1281 | (201) | ACGCCCATGTTGACATGATTATTTGACATGATTATTAATAGTAATCAATTTACGGGGTCATTAGTTCATAGCCCATATATGAGTATCCGGCTACATAAATCTT | |
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| Towne | (201) | ACGCCCATGTTGACATGATTATTTGACATGATTATTAATAGTAATCAATTTACGGGGTCATTAGTTCATAGCCCATATATGAGTATCCGGCTACATAAATCTT | |
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| 1182 | (401) | GAGCTCAATGGGTGGAGTATTACGGTAAATCGCCACTTGGCAGTACATCAAGTGATCATATGCGCAAGTCGCGCCCTATTGAGCGTCAATGACGGTA | |
| 1269 | (401) | GAGCTCAATGGGTGGAGTATTACGGTAAATCGCCACTTGGCAGTACATCAAGTGATCATATGCGCAAGTCGCGCCCTATTGAGCGTCAATGACGGTA | |
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| 485 | (401) | GAGCTCAATGGGTGGAGTATTACGGTAAATCGCCACTTGGCAGTACATCAAGTGATCATATGCGCAAGTCGCGCCCTATTGAGCGTCAATGACGGTA | |
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| 696 | (401) | GAGCTCAATGGGTGGAGTATTACGGTAAATCGCCACTTGGCAGTACATCAAGTGATCATATGCGCAAGTCGCGCCCTATTGAGCGTCAATGACGGTA | |
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| 9G11 | (401) | GAGCTCAATGGGTGGAGTATTACGGTAAATCGCCACTTGGCAGTACATCAAGTGATCATATGCGCAAGTCGCGCCCTATTGAGCGTCAATGACGGTA | |
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| AD169 | (401) | GAGCTCAATGGGTGGAGTATTACGGTAAATCGCCACTTGGCAGTACATCAAGTGATCATATGCGCAAGTCGCGCCCTATTGAGCGTCAATGACGGTA | |
| Towne | (400) | GAGCTCAATGGGTGGAGTATTACGGTAAATCGCCACTTGGCAGTACATCAAGTGATCATATGCGCAAGTCGCGCCCTATTGAGCGTCAATGACGGTA | |
| Consensus | (401) | GAGCTCAATGGGTGGAGTATTACGGTAAATCGCCACTTGGCAGTACATCAAGTGATCATATGCGCAAGTCGCGCCCTATTGAGCGTCAATGACGGTA | 501 |
| 1082 | (500) | AATGGCCGCGCTGGCATTTATGCCAGTACATGACCTTACGGBGGCTTTCTCTACTTTGGCAGTACACTACGTATTTAGTCATCGCTATTACCATGGTGAATGCG | 600 |
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| 9P11 | (401) | AATGGCCGCGCTGGCATTTATGCCAGTACATGACCTTACGGBGGCTTTCTCTACTTTGGCAGTACACTACGTATTTAGTCATCGCTATTACCATGGTGAATGCG | |
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| 9G8 | (500) | AATGGCCGCGCTGGCATTTATGCCAGTACATGACCTTACGGBGGCTTTCTCTACTTTGGCAGTACACTACGTATTTAGTCATCGCTATTACCATGGTGAATGCG | |
| AD169 | (500) | AATGGCCGCGCTGGCATTTATGCCAGTACATGACCTTACGGBGGCTTTCTCTACTTTGGCAGTACACTACGTATTTAGTCATCGCTATTACCATGGTGAATGCG | |
| Towne | (500) | AATGGCCGCGCTGGCATTTATGCCAGTACATGACCTTACGGBGGCTTTCTCTACTTTGGCAGTACACTACGTATTTAGTCATCGCTATTACCATGGTGAATGCG | |
| Consensus | (501) | AATGGCCGCGCTGGCATTTATGCCAGTACATGACCTTACGGBGGCTTTCTCTACTTTGGCAGTACACTACGTATTTAGTCATCGCTATTACCATGGTGAATGCG | |

Figure 8D: Comparison of 18 chimeric promoter sequences generated by DNA shuffling using CMV promoter nucleic acid sequences from AD169 and Towne human strains and Rhesus and Vervet monkey strains as parental sequences.

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Figure 8E: Comparison of 18 chimeric promoter sequences generated by DNA shuffling using CMV promoter nucleic acid sequences from AD169 and Towne human strains and Rhesus and Vervet monkey strains as parental sequences.

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| 801 | (800) | TAGTAAACCGTCAGATCGCTGGAGAGCGCCATCAACGCTGTTTGGACCTCCAT-AGAAGACACCGGACCGATCCAGCCTCCGCGCGCGGAGACGGTGCA | 901 |
| 1082 | (800) | TAGGAAACCGCCATTCTGCTCGGGAGGC-----CGAG-----GAGCTCCATTGGAAGAGACCGGACCGATCCAGCCTCCGCGCGCGGAGACGGTGCA | |
| 1152 | (800) | TAGGAAACCGCCATTCTGCTCGGGAGGC-----CGAG-----GAGCTCCATTGGAAGAGACCGGACCGATCCAGCCTCCGCGCGCGGAGACGGTGCA | |
| 1259 | (800) | TAGGAAACCGCCATTCTGCTCGGGAGGC-----CGAG-----GAGCAGCAT-AGAAGACACCGGACCGATCCAGCCTCCGCGCGCGGAGACGGTGCA | |
| 1281 | (748) | TAGTAAACCGTCAGATCGCTGGAGAGCGCCATCAACGCTGTTTGGACCTCCAT-AGAAGACACCGGACCGATCCAGCCTCCGCGCGCGGAGACGGTGCA | |
| 1289 | (800) | TAGTAAACCGTCAGATCGCTGGAGAGCGCCATCAACGCTGTTTGGACCTCCAT-AGAAGACACCGGACCGATCCAGCCTCCGCGCGCGGAGACGGTGCA | |
| 369 | (801) | TAGTAAACCGTCAGATCGCTGGAGAGCGCCATCAACGCTGTTTGGACCTCCAT-AGAAGACACCGGACCGATCCAGCCTCCGCGCGCGGAGACGGTGCA | |
| 485 | (748) | TAGTAAACCGTCAGATCGCTGGAGAGCGCCATCAACGCTGTTTGGACCTCCAT-AGAAGACACCGGACCGATCCAGCCTCCGCGCGCGGAGACGGTGCA | |
| 648 | (800) | TAGTAAACCGTCAGATCGCTGGAGAGCGCCATCAACGCTGTTTGGACCTCCAT-AGAAGACACCGGACCGATCCAGCCTCCGCGCGCGGAGACGGTGCA | |
| 682 | (748) | TAGTAAACCGTCAGATCGCTGGAGAGCGCCATCAACGCTGTTTGGACCTCCAT-AGAAGACACCGGACCGATCCAGCCTCCGCGCGCGGAGACGGTGCA | |
| 694 | (800) | TAGTAAACCGTCAGATCGCTGGAGAGCGCCATCAACGCTGTTTGGACCTCCAT-AGAAGACACCGGACCGATCCAGCCTCCGCGCGCGGAGACGGTGCA | |
| 696 | (800) | TAGTAAACCGTCAGATCGCTGGAGAGCGCCATCAACGCTGTTTGGACCTCCAT-AGAAGACACCGGACCGATCCAGCCTCCGCGCGCGGAGACGGTGCA | |
| 911 | (791) | TAGTAAACCGTCAGATCGCTGGAGAGCGCCATCAACGCTGTTTGGACCTCCAT-AGAAGACACCGGACCGATCCAGCCTCCGCGCGCGGAGACGGTGCA | |
| 911 | (800) | TAGTAAACCGTCAGATCGCTGGAGAGCGCCATCAACGCTGTTTGGACCTCCAT-AGAAGACACCGGACCGATCCAGCCTCCGCGCGCGGAGACGGTGCA | |
| 911 | (800) | TAGTAAACCGTCAGATCGCTGGAGAGCGCCATCAACGCTGTTTGGACCTCCAT-AGAAGACACCGGACCGATCCAGCCTCCGCGCGCGGAGACGGTGCA | |
| 912 | (800) | TAGTAAACCGTCAGATCGCTGGAGAGCGCCATCAACGCTGTTTGGACCTCCAT-AGAAGACACCGGACCGATCCAGCCTCCGCGCGCGGAGACGGTGCA | |
| 964 | (800) | TAGTAAACCGTCAGATCGCTGGAGAGCGCCATCAACGCTGTTTGGACCTCCAT-AGAAGACACCGGACCGATCCAGCCTCCGCGCGCGGAGACGGTGCA | |
| 967 | (800) | TAGTAAACCGTCAGATCGCTGGAGAGCGCCATCAACGCTGTTTGGACCTCCAT-AGAAGACACCGGACCGATCCAGCCTCCGCGCGCGGAGACGGTGCA | |
| 968 | (800) | TAGTAAACCGTCAGATCGCTGGAGAGCGCCATCAACGCTGTTTGGACCTCCAT-AGAAGACACCGGACCGATCCAGCCTCCGCGCGCGGAGACGGTGCA | |
| AD169 | (799) | TAGTAAACCGTCAGATCGCTGGAGAGCGCCATCAACGCTGTTTGGACCTCCAT-AGAAGACACCGGACCGATCCAGCCTCCGCGCGCGGAGACGGTGCA | |
| AD169 | (800) | TAGTAAACCGTCAGATCGCTGGAGAGCGCCATCAACGCTGTTTGGACCTCCAT-AGAAGACACCGGACCGATCCAGCCTCCGCGCGCGGAGACGGTGCA | |
| Towne | (800) | TAGTAAACCGTCAGATCGCTGGAGAGCGCCATCAACGCTGTTTGGACCTCCAT-AGAAGACACCGGACCGATCCAGCCTCCGCGCGCGGAGACGGTGCA | |
| Consensus | (801) | TAGTAAACCGTCAGATCGCTGGAGAGCGCCATCAACGCTGTTTGGACCTCCAT-AGAAGACACCGGACCGATCCAGCCTCCGCGCGCGGAGACGGTGCA | |
| | 901 | | |
| | | | 1000 |
| 1082 | (899) | TTGGAACCGGGATCTCCCTGCCCAGAGTGCAGTAACTACCGCTATAGACTCTATAGGCACACACCCCTTTGGCT-CTTATGCATGCTATACCTGTTTTTGG | |
| 1152 | (890) | TTGGAACCGGGATCTCCCTGCCCAGAGTGCAGTAACTACCGCTATAGACTCTATAGGCACACACCCCTTTGGCT-CTTATGCATGCTATACCTGTTTTTGG | |
| 1259 | (889) | TTGGAACCGGGATCTCCCTGCCCAGAGTGCAGTAACTACCGCTATAGACTCTATAGGCACACACCCCTTTGGCT-CTTATGCATGCTATACCTGTTTTTGG | |
| 1281 | (891) | TTGGAACCGGGATCTCCCTGCCCAGAGTGCAGTAACTACCGCTATAGACTCTATAGGCACACACCCCTTTGGCT-CTTATGCATGCTATACCTGTTTTTGG | |
| 1289 | (899) | TTGGAACCGGGATCTCCCTGCCCAGAGTGCAGTAACTACCGCTATAGACTCTATAGGCACACACCCCTTTGGCT-CTTATGCATGCTATACCTGTTTTTGG | |
| 369 | (900) | TTGGAACCGGGATCTCCCTGCCCAGAGTGCAGTAACTACCGCTATAGACTCTATAGGCACACACCCCTTTGGCT-CTTATGCATGCTATACCTGTTTTTGG | |
| 485 | (847) | TTGGAACCGGGATCTCCCTGCCCAGAGTGCAGTAACTACCGCTATAGACTCTATAGGCACACACCCCTTTGGCT-CTTATGCATGCTATACCTGTTTTTGG | |
| 648 | (897) | TTGGAACCGGGATCTCCCTGCCCAGAGTGCAGTAACTACCGCTATAGACTCTATAGGCACACACCCCTTTGGCT-CTTATGCATGCTATACCTGTTTTTGG | |
| 682 | (847) | TTGGAACCGGGATCTCCCTGCCCAGAGTGCAGTAACTACCGCTATAGACTCTATAGGCACACACCCCTTTGGCT-CTTATGCATGCTATACCTGTTTTTGG | |
| 694 | (899) | TTGGAACCGGGATCTCCCTGCCCAGAGTGCAGTAACTACCGCTATAGACTCTATAGGCACACACCCCTTTGGCT-CTTATGCATGCTATACCTGTTTTTGG | |
| 696 | (899) | TTGGAACCGGGATCTCCCTGCCCAGAGTGCAGTAACTACCGCTATAGACTCTATAGGCACACACCCCTTTGGCT-CTTATGCATGCTATACCTGTTTTTGG | |
| 911 | (706) | TTGGAACCGGGATCTCCCTGCCCAGAGTGCAGTAACTACCGCTATAGACTCTATAGGCACACACCCCTTTGGCT-CTTATGCATGCTATACCTGTTTTTGG | |
| 911 | (891) | TTGGAACCGGGATCTCCCTGCCCAGAGTGCAGTAACTACCGCTATAGACTCTATAGGCACACACCCCTTTGGCT-CTTATGCATGCTATACCTGTTTTTGG | |
| 911 | (899) | TTGGAACCGGGATCTCCCTGCCCAGAGTGCAGTAACTACCGCTATAGACTCTATAGGCACACACCCCTTTGGCT-CTTATGCATGCTATACCTGTTTTTGG | |
| 912 | (899) | TTGGAACCGGGATCTCCCTGCCCAGAGTGCAGTAACTACCGCTATAGACTCTATAGGCACACACCCCTTTGGCT-CTTATGCATGCTATACCTGTTTTTGG | |
| 964 | (899) | TTGGAACCGGGATCTCCCTGCCCAGAGTGCAGTAACTACCGCTATAGACTCTATAGGCACACACCCCTTTGGCT-CTTATGCATGCTATACCTGTTTTTGG | |
| 968 | (899) | TTGGAACCGGGATCTCCCTGCCCAGAGTGCAGTAACTACCGCTATAGACTCTATAGGCACACACCCCTTTGGCT-CTTATGCATGCTATACCTGTTTTTGG | |
| AD169 | (899) | TTGGAACCGGGATCTCCCTGCCCAGAGTGCAGTAACTACCGCTATAGACTCTATAGGCACACACCCCTTTGGCT-CTTATGCATGCTATACCTGTTTTTGG | |
| Towne | (899) | TTGGAACCGGGATCTCCCTGCCCAGAGTGCAGTAACTACCGCTATAGACTCTATAGGCACACACCCCTTTGGCT-CTTATGCATGCTATACCTGTTTTTGG | |
| Consensus | (901) | TTGGAACCGGGATCTCCCTGCCCAGAGTGCAGTAACTACCGCTATAGACTCTATAGGCACACACCCCTTTGGCT-CTTATGCATGCTATACCTGTTTTTGG | |

Figure 8F: Comparison of 18 chimeric promoter sequences generated by DNA shuffling using CMV promoter nucleic acid sequences from AD169 and Towne human strains and Rhesus and Vervet monkey strains as parental sequences.

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|-----------|--------|--|------|
| 1082 | (998) | CTTGGGGCTCTATACACCCCGCTTCCTTATGCTATAGTGATGGGTATAGCTTAGCCCTATAGGTGTGGGTATTGACCACTATTGACCACTCCCTATTGG | 1100 |
| 1182 | (989) | CTTGGGGCTCTATACACCCCGCTTCCTTATGCTATAGTGATGGGTATAGCTTAGCCCTATAGGTGTGGGTATTGACCACTATTGACCACTCCCTATTGG | |
| 1209 | (898) | ----- | |
| 1281 | (947) | CTTGGGGCTCTATACACCCCGCTTCCTTATGCTATAGTGATGGGTATAGCTTAGCCCTATAGGTGTGGGTATTGACCACTATTGACCACTCCCTATTGG | |
| 1289 | (991) | CTTGGGGCTCTATACACCCCGCTTCCTTATGCTATAGTGATGGGTATAGCTTAGCCCTATAGGTGTGGGTATTGACCACTATTGACCACTCCCTATTGG | |
| 309 | (946) | CTTGGGGCTCTATACACCCCGCTTCCTTATGCTATAGTGATGGGTATAGCTTAGCCCTATAGGTGTGGGTATTGACCACTATTGACCACTCCCTATTGG | |
| 485 | (991) | CTTGGGGCTCTATACACCCCGCTTCCTTATGCTATAGTGATGGGTATAGCTTAGCCCTATAGGTGTGGGTATTGACCACTATTGACCACTCCCTATTGG | |
| 648 | (998) | CTTGGGGCTCTATACACCCCGCTTCCTTATGCTATAGTGATGGGTATAGCTTAGCCCTATAGGTGTGGGTATTGACCACTATTGACCACTCCCTATTGG | |
| 682 | (946) | CTTGGGGCTCTATACACCCCGCTTCCTTATGCTATAGTGATGGGTATAGCTTAGCCCTATAGGTGTGGGTATTGACCACTATTGACCACTCCCTATTGG | |
| 604 | (946) | CTTGGGGCTCTATACACCCCGCTTCCTTATGCTATAGTGATGGGTATAGCTTAGCCCTATAGGTGTGGGTATTGACCACTATTGACCACTCCCTATTGG | |
| 676 | (991) | CTTGGGGCTCTATACACCCCGCTTCCTTATGCTATAGTGATGGGTATAGCTTAGCCCTATAGGTGTGGGTATTGACCACTATTGACCACTCCCTATTGG | |
| 911 | (985) | CTTGGGGCTCTATACACCCCGCTTCCTTATGCTATAGTGATGGGTATAGCTTAGCCCTATAGGTGTGGGTATTGACCACTATTGACCACTCCCTATTGG | |
| 961 | (998) | CTTGGGGCTCTATACACCCCGCTTCCTTATGCTATAGTGATGGGTATAGCTTAGCCCTATAGGTGTGGGTATTGACCACTATTGACCACTCCCTATTGG | |
| 9612 | (998) | CTTGGGGCTCTATACACCCCGCTTCCTTATGCTATAGTGATGGGTATAGCTTAGCCCTATAGGTGTGGGTATTGACCACTATTGACCACTCCCTATTGG | |
| 964 | (998) | CTTGGGGCTCTATACACCCCGCTTCCTTATGCTATAGTGATGGGTATAGCTTAGCCCTATAGGTGTGGGTATTGACCACTATTGACCACTCCCTATTGG | |
| 967 | (988) | CTTGGGGCTCTATACACCCCGCTTCCTTATGCTATAGTGATGGGTATAGCTTAGCCCTATAGGTGTGGGTATTGACCACTATTGACCACTCCCTATTGG | |
| 968 | (998) | CTTGGGGCTCTATACACCCCGCTTCCTTATGCTATAGTGATGGGTATAGCTTAGCCCTATAGGTGTGGGTATTGACCACTATTGACCACTCCCTATTGG | |
| AD169 | (998) | CTTGGGGCTCTATACACCCCGCTTCCTTATGCTATAGTGATGGGTATAGCTTAGCCCTATAGGTGTGGGTATTGACCACTATTGACCACTCCCTATTGG | |
| Towne | (998) | CTTGGGGCTCTATACACCCCGCTTCCTTATGCTATAGTGATGGGTATAGCTTAGCCCTATAGGTGTGGGTATTGACCACTATTGACCACTCCCTATTGG | |
| Consensus | (1001) | CTTGGGGCTCTATACACCCCGCTTCCTTATGCTATAGTGATGGGTATAGCTTAGCCCTATAGGTGTGGGTATTGACCACTATTGACCACTCCCTATTGG | |
| 1082 | (1098) | TGACGATACCTTTCCTACTTAATCCATAACATGCGCTCTTTGGCCAACTATCTCTATGGCTATATGCCAATACTCTGCTTCCTCAGAGCTGACACGGAC | 1100 |
| 1182 | (1089) | TGACGATACCTTTCCTACTTAATCCATAACATGCGCTCTTTTGGCCAGCTATCTCTATGGCTATATGCCAATACTCTGCTTCCTCAGAGCTGACACGGAC | |
| 1209 | (898) | ----- | |
| 1281 | (947) | TGACGATACCTTTCCTACTTAATCCATAACATGCGCTCTTTTGGCCAACTATCTCTATGGCTATATGCCAATACTCTGCTTCCTCAGAGCTGACACGGAC | |
| 1289 | (1091) | TGACGATACCTTTCCTACTTAATCCATAACATGCGCTCTTTTGGCCAACTATCTCTATGGCTATATGCCAATACTCTGCTTCCTCAGAGCTGACACGGAC | |
| 309 | (1091) | TGACGATACCTTTCCTACTTAATCCATAACATGCGCTCTTTTGGCCAACTATCTCTATGGCTATATGCCAATACTCTGCTTCCTCAGAGCTGACACGGAC | |
| 485 | (1046) | TGACGATACCTTTCCTACTTAATCCATAACATGCGCTCTTTTGGCCAACTATCTCTATGGCTATATGCCAATACTCTGCTTCCTCAGAGCTGACACGGAC | |
| 648 | (1046) | TGACGATACCTTTCCTACTTAATCCATAACATGCGCTCTTTTGGCCAACTATCTCTATGGCTATATGCCAATACTCTGCTTCCTCAGAGCTGACACGGAC | |
| 682 | (1046) | TGACGATACCTTTCCTACTTAATCCATAACATGCGCTCTTTTGGCCAACTATCTCTATGGCTATATGCCAATACTCTGCTTCCTCAGAGCTGACACGGAC | |
| 604 | (1046) | TGACGATACCTTTCCTACTTAATCCATAACATGCGCTCTTTTGGCCAACTATCTCTATGGCTATATGCCAATACTCTGCTTCCTCAGAGCTGACACGGAC | |
| 676 | (991) | TGACGATACCTTTCCTACTTAATCCATAACATGCGCTCTTTTGGCCAACTATCTCTATGGCTATATGCCAATACTCTGCTTCCTCAGAGCTGACACGGAC | |
| 911 | (1096) | TGACGATACCTTTCCTACTTAATCCATAACATGCGCTCTTTTGGCCAACTATCTCTATGGCTATATGCCAATACTCTGCTTCCTCAGAGCTGACACGGAC | |
| 9612 | (1098) | TGACGATACCTTTCCTACTTAATCCATAACATGCGCTCTTTTGGCCAACTATCTCTATGGCTATATGCCAATACTCTGCTTCCTCAGAGCTGACACGGAC | |
| 9612 | (1098) | TGACGATACCTTTCCTACTTAATCCATAACATGCGCTCTTTTGGCCAACTATCTCTATGGCTATATGCCAATACTCTGCTTCCTCAGAGCTGACACGGAC | |
| 964 | (1098) | TGACGATACCTTTCCTACTTAATCCATAACATGCGCTCTTTTGGCCAACTATCTCTATGGCTATATGCCAATACTCTGCTTCCTCAGAGCTGACACGGAC | |
| 967 | (1098) | TGACGATACCTTTCCTACTTAATCCATAACATGCGCTCTTTTGGCCAACTATCTCTATGGCTATATGCCAATACTCTGCTTCCTCAGAGCTGACACGGAC | |
| 968 | (1098) | TGACGATACCTTTCCTACTTAATCCATAACATGCGCTCTTTTGGCCAACTATCTCTATGGCTATATGCCAATACTCTGCTTCCTCAGAGCTGACACGGAC | |
| AD169 | (1098) | TGACGATACCTTTCCTACTTAATCCATAACATGCGCTCTTTTGGCCAACTATCTCTATGGCTATATGCCAATACTCTGCTTCCTCAGAGCTGACACGGAC | |
| Towne | (1097) | TGACGATACCTTTCCTACTTAATCCATAACATGCGCTCTTTTGGCCAACTATCTCTATGGCTATATGCCAATACTCTGCTTCCTCAGAGCTGACACGGAC | |
| Consensus | (1101) | TGACGATACCTTTCCTACTTAATCCATAACATGCGCTCTTTTGGCCAACTATCTCTATGGCTATATGCCAATACTCTGCTTCCTCAGAGCTGACACGGAC | |

Figure 8G: Comparison of 18 chimeric promoter sequences generated by DNA shuffling using CMV promoter nucleic acid sequences from AD169 and Towne human strains and Rhesus and Vervet monkey strains as parental sequences.

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|-----------|---|------|
| 1082 | TCGTGATTTTTCACAGATGGGGTCCCATTTATTATTACAAATTCACATATACAAACACACAGCTCCAGTGCCTCCGCGAGCTTTTGTATAACATAGCGTGG | 1300 |
| 1182 | TCGTGATTTTTCACAGATGGGGTCCCATTTATTATTATTACAAATTCACATATACAAACACAGCTCCGCGCGAGCTTTTATTAAACATAGCGTGG | |
| 1299 | TCGTGATTTTTCACAGATGGGGTCCCATTTATTATTATTACAAATTCACATATACAAACACAGCTCCGCGCGAGCTTTTATTAAACATAGCGTGG | |
| 1281 | TCGTGATTTTTCACAGATGGGGTCCCATTTATTATTATTACAAATTCACATATACAAACACAGCTCCGCGCGAGCTTTTATTAAACATAGCGTGG | |
| 1289 | TCGTGATTTTTCACAGATGGGGTCCCATTTATTATTATTACAAATTCACATATACAAACACAGCTCCGCGCGAGCTTTTATTAAACATAGCGTGG | |
| 369 | TCGTGATTTTTCACAGATGGGGTCCCATTTATTATTATTACAAATTCACATATACAAACACAGCTCCGCGCGAGCTTTTATTAAACATAGCGTGG | |
| 485 | TCGTGATTTTTCACAGATGGGGTCCCATTTATTATTATTACAAATTCACATATACAAACACAGCTCCGCGCGAGCTTTTATTAAACATAGCGTGG | |
| 648 | TCGTGATTTTTCACAGATGGGGTCCCATTTATTATTATTACAAATTCACATATACAAACACAGCTCCGCGCGAGCTTTTATTAAACATAGCGTGG | |
| 682 | TCGTGATTTTTCACAGATGGGGTCCCATTTATTATTATTACAAATTCACATATACAAACACAGCTCCGCGCGAGCTTTTATTAAACATAGCGTGG | |
| 604 | TCGTGATTTTTCACAGATGGGGTCCCATTTATTATTATTACAAATTCACATATACAAACACAGCTCCGCGCGAGCTTTTATTAAACATAGCGTGG | |
| 676 | TCGTGATTTTTCACAGATGGGGTCCCATTTATTATTATTACAAATTCACATATACAAACACAGCTCCGCGCGAGCTTTTATTAAACATAGCGTGG | |
| 911 | TCGTGATTTTTCACAGATGGGGTCCCATTTATTATTATTACAAATTCACATATACAAACACAGCTCCGCGCGAGCTTTTATTAAACATAGCGTGG | |
| 9F11 | TCGTGATTTTTCACAGATGGGGTCCCATTTATTATTATTACAAATTCACATATACAAACACAGCTCCGCGCGAGCTTTTATTAAACATAGCGTGG | |
| 9611 | TCGTGATTTTTCACAGATGGGGTCCCATTTATTATTATTACAAATTCACATATACAAACACAGCTCCGCGCGAGCTTTTATTAAACATAGCGTGG | |
| 9612 | TCGTGATTTTTCACAGATGGGGTCCCATTTATTATTATTACAAATTCACATATACAAACACAGCTCCGCGCGAGCTTTTATTAAACATAGCGTGG | |
| 964 | TCGTGATTTTTCACAGATGGGGTCCCATTTATTATTATTACAAATTCACATATACAAACACAGCTCCGCGCGAGCTTTTATTAAACATAGCGTGG | |
| 967 | TCGTGATTTTTCACAGATGGGGTCCCATTTATTATTATTACAAATTCACATATACAAACACAGCTCCGCGCGAGCTTTTATTAAACATAGCGTGG | |
| 968 | TCGTGATTTTTCACAGATGGGGTCCCATTTATTATTATTACAAATTCACATATACAAACACAGCTCCGCGCGAGCTTTTATTAAACATAGCGTGG | |
| AD169 | TCGTGATTTTTCACAGATGGGGTCCCATTTATTATTATTACAAATTCACATATACAAACACAGCTCCGCGCGAGCTTTTATTAAACATAGCGTGG | |
| 964 | TCGTGATTTTTCACAGATGGGGTCCCATTTATTATTATTACAAATTCACATATACAAACACAGCTCCGCGCGAGCTTTTATTAAACATAGCGTGG | |
| 967 | TCGTGATTTTTCACAGATGGGGTCCCATTTATTATTATTACAAATTCACATATACAAACACAGCTCCGCGCGAGCTTTTATTAAACATAGCGTGG | |
| 968 | TCGTGATTTTTCACAGATGGGGTCCCATTTATTATTATTACAAATTCACATATACAAACACAGCTCCGCGCGAGCTTTTATTAAACATAGCGTGG | |
| Towne | TCGTGATTTTTCACAGATGGGGTCCCATTTATTATTATTACAAATTCACATATACAAACACAGCTCCGCGCGAGCTTTTATTAAACATAGCGTGG | |
| Consensus | TCGTGATTTTTCACAGATGGGGTCCCATTTATTATTATTACAAATTCACATATACAAACACAGCTCCGCGCGAGCTTTTATTAAACATAGCGTGG | 1301 |
| 1082 | GATCTCCACGCAATCTTCGGGTACGTTGTCGGACATAGGGCTCTCTCTCCGGTACGCGAGCTTTCCACATCCGAGCTCGTGGTCCCATCCAGCGGC | 1400 |
| 1182 | GATCTCCACGCAATCTTCGGGTACGTTGTCGGACATAGGGCTCTCTCTCCGGTACGCGAGCTTTCCACATCCGAGCTCGTGGTCCCATCCAGCGGC | |
| 1299 | GATCTCCACGCAATCTTCGGGTACGTTGTCGGACATAGGGCTCTCTCTCCGGTACGCGAGCTTTCCACATCCGAGCTCGTGGTCCCATCCAGCGGC | |
| 1281 | GATCTCCACGCAATCTTCGGGTACGTTGTCGGACATAGGGCTCTCTCTCCGGTACGCGAGCTTTCCACATCCGAGCTCGTGGTCCCATCCAGCGGC | |
| 12471 | GATCTCCACGCAATCTTCGGGTACGTTGTCGGACATAGGGCTCTCTCTCCGGTACGCGAGCTTTCCACATCCGAGCTCGTGGTCCCATCCAGCGGC | |
| 1298 | GATCTCCACGCAATCTTCGGGTACGTTGTCGGACATAGGGCTCTCTCTCCGGTACGCGAGCTTTCCACATCCGAGCTCGTGGTCCCATCCAGCGGC | |
| 369 | GATCTCCACGCAATCTTCGGGTACGTTGTCGGACATAGGGCTCTCTCTCCGGTACGCGAGCTTTCCACATCCGAGCTCGTGGTCCCATCCAGCGGC | |
| 1299 | GATCTCCACGCAATCTTCGGGTACGTTGTCGGACATAGGGCTCTCTCTCCGGTACGCGAGCTTTCCACATCCGAGCTCGTGGTCCCATCCAGCGGC | |
| 485 | GATCTCCACGCAATCTTCGGGTACGTTGTCGGACATAGGGCTCTCTCTCCGGTACGCGAGCTTTCCACATCCGAGCTCGTGGTCCCATCCAGCGGC | |
| 682 | GATCTCCACGCAATCTTCGGGTACGTTGTCGGACATAGGGCTCTCTCTCCGGTACGCGAGCTTTCCACATCCGAGCTCGTGGTCCCATCCAGCGGC | |
| 682 | GATCTCCACGCAATCTTCGGGTACGTTGTCGGACATAGGGCTCTCTCTCCGGTACGCGAGCTTTCCACATCCGAGCTCGTGGTCCCATCCAGCGGC | |
| 604 | GATCTCCACGCAATCTTCGGGTACGTTGTCGGACATAGGGCTCTCTCTCCGGTACGCGAGCTTTCCACATCCGAGCTCGTGGTCCCATCCAGCGGC | |
| 696 | GATCTCCACGCAATCTTCGGGTACGTTGTCGGACATAGGGCTCTCTCTCCGGTACGCGAGCTTTCCACATCCGAGCTCGTGGTCCCATCCAGCGGC | |
| 911 | GATCTCCACGCAATCTTCGGGTACGTTGTCGGACATAGGGCTCTCTCTCCGGTACGCGAGCTTTCCACATCCGAGCTCGTGGTCCCATCCAGCGGC | |
| 9F11 | GATCTCCACGCAATCTTCGGGTACGTTGTCGGACATAGGGCTCTCTCTCCGGTACGCGAGCTTTCCACATCCGAGCTCGTGGTCCCATCCAGCGGC | |
| 9611 | GATCTCCACGCAATCTTCGGGTACGTTGTCGGACATAGGGCTCTCTCTCCGGTACGCGAGCTTTCCACATCCGAGCTCGTGGTCCCATCCAGCGGC | |
| 9612 | GATCTCCACGCAATCTTCGGGTACGTTGTCGGACATAGGGCTCTCTCTCCGGTACGCGAGCTTTCCACATCCGAGCTCGTGGTCCCATCCAGCGGC | |
| 964 | GATCTCCACGCAATCTTCGGGTACGTTGTCGGACATAGGGCTCTCTCTCCGGTACGCGAGCTTTCCACATCCGAGCTCGTGGTCCCATCCAGCGGC | |
| 967 | GATCTCCACGCAATCTTCGGGTACGTTGTCGGACATAGGGCTCTCTCTCCGGTACGCGAGCTTTCCACATCCGAGCTCGTGGTCCCATCCAGCGGC | |
| 968 | GATCTCCACGCAATCTTCGGGTACGTTGTCGGACATAGGGCTCTCTCTCCGGTACGCGAGCTTTCCACATCCGAGCTCGTGGTCCCATCCAGCGGC | |
| AD169 | GATCTCCACGCAATCTTCGGGTACGTTGTCGGACATAGGGCTCTCTCTCCGGTACGCGAGCTTTCCACATCCGAGCTCGTGGTCCCATCCAGCGGC | |
| 968 | GATCTCCACGCAATCTTCGGGTACGTTGTCGGACATAGGGCTCTCTCTCCGGTACGCGAGCTTTCCACATCCGAGCTCGTGGTCCCATCCAGCGGC | |
| Towne | GATCTCCACGCAATCTTCGGGTACGTTGTCGGACATAGGGCTCTCTCTCCGGTACGCGAGCTTTCCACATCCGAGCTCGTGGTCCCATCCAGCGGC | |
| Consensus | GATCTCCACGCAATCTTCGGGTACGTTGTCGGACATAGGGCTCTCTCTCCGGTACGCGAGCTTTCCACATCCGAGCTCGTGGTCCCATCCAGCGGC | 1401 |

FIGURE 9

Vector for promoter evolution

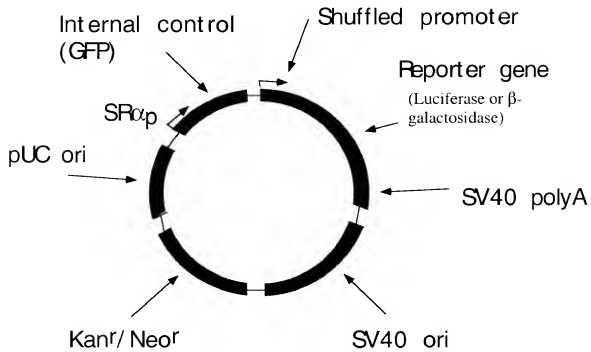


FIGURE 10A

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|---------------------------------|-----|--|
| Towne_promoter_fr_PCR_prod_seq | 1 | 60 |
| Rhesus_monkey_PCR_prod_821bp | | |
| Vervet_(Simian)_PCR_product_seq | | |
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| | | ATTGAATTGGCATGGTGCCAATAATGGCGG..CATA...TTGGCTATATGCCA..... |
| | | |
| Towne_promoter_fr_PCR_prod_seq | 61 | 120 |
| Rhesus_monkey_PCR_prod_821bp | | |
| Vervet_(Simian)_PCR_product_seq | | |
| | | ATCGATCTATACATTGAATCAATAATTGGCAATTAGCCATATTAGTCATTTGGTTATATAGC |
| | | ...GTCCGCCATATTGGTTTGGCAT.....ATGTCCAATATTATTGAT...CCATATAGC |
| | |GGATCAATAT....ATAGGCAATATC.....CAATATGGC |
| | | |
| Towne_promoter_fr_PCR_prod_seq | 121 | 180 |
| Rhesus_monkey_PCR_prod_821bp | | |
| Vervet_(Simian)_PCR_product_seq | | |
| | | ATAAATCAATAATTGGCTATTGGCCATTGGCCATACGTTGTATCTATATCAATAATGTACAT |
| | | CAATATCCAATATGGCTAATAGCCA.....GGTTCAATAGAAATGGCCAAATAGC |
| | | CCTATGCCAATATGGCTATTGGCCA.....GGTTCAATACTACTATTGTATTGGCCCT |
| | | |
| Towne_promoter_fr_PCR_prod_seq | 181 | 240 |
| Rhesus_monkey_PCR_prod_821bp | | |
| Vervet_(Simian)_PCR_product_seq | | |
| | | TTATATTGGCTCATGTCCAATATGACCCCATGTTGACATTGATTGACTAGTT..AT |
| | | CAATAT..GCCATTGGCCAAACATGGCAA.TGGGCCAGTATTGATTATAGCCAAATAT..AT |
| | | ATGCCA...TATAGTATTCCATATATATGGGTTTTCCTATTGACGTAGATAGCCCCCTCCCAAT |

FIGURE 10B

| | | | |
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| Towne_promoter_fr_PCR_prod_seq | 241 | TAATAGTA.....ATCAATTACGGGTCAATTAGTTCATAGCCCATATATGAGTTCCGC | 300 |
| Rhesus_monkey_PCR_prod_821bp | | AGGCAATA.....ATCCATAATTGG...CATATGTCATATATGCTATAGCCATATTGGC | |
| Vervet_(Simian)_PCR_product_seq | | GGCGGTCCCATATACCATATATGG...GGCTTCTTAATACCGCCCATAGCCACTCCCC | |
| Towne_promoter_fr_PCR_prod_seq | 301 | GT...T..ACATAACTTACGGTAAATGCGCCGCTCGTGACCGCCCAACGACCCCGCCC | 360 |
| Rhesus_monkey_PCR_prod_821bp | | TTATGT...CCATTACCAATACCATATATGGGTCTTCCTATATACGTCAATAGGTACGCCCC | |
| Vervet_(Simian)_PCR_product_seq | | AT...TGACGTCAATGGTCTCTATATATGGTCTTTCTTATTTGACGTCAATATGGCGGTCC | |
| Towne_promoter_fr_PCR_prod_seq | 361 | .ATTGACGT.....AGTACGCGCAATAGGG...ACTTTCCA | 420 |
| Rhesus_monkey_PCR_prod_821bp | | .ATTGACGTAAATAGGATACGCTCCCATTGACGTCAATGGAGGGATTAAATATACGTAC | |
| Vervet_(Simian)_PCR_product_seq | | TATTGACGTA.TATGGCGCTCCCCCATTTGACGTCAATTACGGTAAATGGCGCGCTGGC | |
| Towne_promoter_fr_PCR_prod_seq | 421 | TAATGACGTATGTTCCCAT.....AGTACGCGCAATAGGG...ACTTTCCA | 480 |
| Rhesus_monkey_PCR_prod_821bp | | TAATACCGCGCCATTGACGTGTATAGGACCGTCCCATTTGACGTCAATAGGCGCCACCTCCCA | |
| Vervet_(Simian)_PCR_product_seq | | T...CAATGCCCATTTGACGT.....CAATAGGACCAACCCACCA | |

FIGURE 10C

| | | |
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| Towne_promoter_fr_PCR_prod_seq | 481 | 540 |
| Rhesus_monkey_PCR_prod_821bp | | |
| Vervet_(Simian)_PCR_product_seq | | |
| | | TTGACGTC AATGGGTGGAGTATTTACGGTAAACTGCCCACTT.....GGCAGTAC |
| | | TTGAGCTCAATGGG.....GTGGCCCAATTGCCCATTC..... |
| | | TTGACGTC AATGGG.....ATGGCTCAATTGCCCAATTCATATCCGTTT..... |
| Towne_promoter_fr_PCR_prod_seq | 541 | 600 |
| Rhesus_monkey_PCR_prod_821bp | | |
| Vervet_(Simian)_PCR_product_seq | | |
| | | ATCAAGTGTATCATATGCCAAGTCGGGCCCCCTATTGACGTC AATGACGGTAAATGGCCC |
| | |CCACGCCCCCTATTGACGTC AATGACGGTAAATGGCC. |
| | |TCACGCCCCCTATTGACGTC AATGACGGTAAATGGCC. |
| Towne_promoter_fr_PCR_prod_seq | 601 | 660 |
| Rhesus_monkey_PCR_prod_821bp | | |
| Vervet_(Simian)_PCR_product_seq | | |
| | | GCCTGGCATTATGCCCAGTACATGACCTTACGGGACCTTTCCTACTTGGCAGTACATC..T |
| | |CACTTGGCAGTACATCAAT |
| | |CACTTGGCAGTACATCAAT |
| Towne_promoter_fr_PCR_prod_seq | 661 | 720 |
| Rhesus_monkey_PCR_prod_821bp | | |
| Vervet_(Simian)_PCR_product_seq | | |
| | | ACGTATTAGTCATCGCTATTACCATGGTGATGCGGTTTTTGGCAGTACACCAA..... |
| | | ACCTATTAAATAGTAACT..TGGCAAGTAAATGGGTACTTTGGCAGTACACCAAGG.TACAT |
| | | ATCTATTAAATAGTAACT..TGGCAAGTACATTACTATTGGCAAGTACGCCAAGGTAT |

FIGURE 10D

| | | |
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| Towne_promoter_fr_PCR_prod_seq | 721 | 780 |
| Rhesus_monkey_PCR_prod_821bp | | |
| Vervet_(Simian)_PCR_product_seq | | |
| Towne_promoter_fr_PCR_prod_seq | 781 | 840 |
| Rhesus_monkey_PCR_prod_821bp | | |
| Vervet_(Simian)_PCR_product_seq | | |
| Towne_promoter_fr_PCR_prod_seq | 841 | 900 |
| Rhesus_monkey_PCR_prod_821bp | | |
| Vervet_(Simian)_PCR_product_seq | | |
| Towne_promoter_fr_PCR_prod_seq | 901 | 960 |
| Rhesus_monkey_PCR_prod_821bp | | |
| Vervet_(Simian)_PCR_product_seq | | |

FIGURE 10E

| | | |
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| Towne_promoter_fr_PCR_prod_seq | 961 | 1020 |
| Rhesus_monkey_PCR_prod_821bp | | |
| Vervet_(Simian)_PCR_product_seq | | |
| | | |
| Towne_promoter_fr_PCR_prod_seq | 1021 | 1057 |
| Rhesus_monkey_PCR_prod_821bp | | |
| Vervet_(Simian)_PCR_product_seq | | |
| | | |
| | | SEQ ID NO:20 |
| | | SEQ ID NO:22 |
| | | SEQ ID NO:23 |